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NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Title 10 AGR Tour Announcement #04-09

1. Reference memorandum, NGB-ARZ-T, dated 21 January 2004, Title 10 Active Guard Reserve (AGR) Application Requirements Procedures.
2. The Army National Guard is seeking applications from highly qualified Commissioned Officers to serve in the Title 10 AGR program as a National Ombudsman, Human Resource Management Officer (Functional Area 43) at the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR), 1555 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22209.
3. Officers selected will serve under the authority of Title 10 USC, Section 12301(d).
4. Brief description of duties: The position title of this vacancy is National Ombudsman. The officer selected will interface and coordinate with staff agencies and headquarters of the seven Reserve Component offices within the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Offices of the Adjutants General in supported states and territories, RC units, RC members, and employers of RC members. The officer will assist in the prevention and resolution of conflict between RC members and their employers relating to the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994 (USERRA). Will be responsible for conducting initial training, certification, and additional professional development courses for state and territory ESGR committee Ombudsman personnel. Other duties as assigned.
5. Prerequisites:
 - a. Grade promotable MAJ (04) or LTC (05).
 - b. Civilian Education: Baccalaureate Degree required, Master's Degree preferred.
 - c. Military Education: Completion of CGSC required; completion of SSC preferred.
 - d. Verification of a SECRET security clearance required.

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e. For AG, Finance, and specialty branch officers: former staff assignments and supervisory experience is required; command experience is preferred. For all other branches, both staff and a minimum of 12 months command time is required.

6. Applications received with postage funded by the US Government for "personal" mail will be destroyed. Applications received with (TAG, MILPO, etc.) endorsements are authorized US Government funded postage. Use of US Government funded overnight or express mail is not authorized.

7. Application packets received that are not complete or correct IAW application requirements and procedures defined in referenced memorandum (paragraph 1) *will be returned without action.*

8. This announcement will remain open until filled.

9. Point of contact regarding application packet requirements and preparation is SFC Nathaniel Ross, at DSN 327-1345 or 703-607-1345; for questions regarding the position contact MAJ Tamera Bevington at DSN 327-1705 or 703-607-1705.

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